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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 CFR 1.53 is the patent application of Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL) Method and computing system for creating and displaying images with animated microstructures Enclosed are: X pages of written description, claims and abstract. sheets of drawings. an assignment of the invention to _ executed declaration of the inventors. a certified copy of a__ application. associate power of attorney. a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. information disclosure statement preliminary amendment Return receipt postcard other: **CLAIMS AS FILED** NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE FEE BASIC FEE Making Doging \$ 355 (small entity) **FOTAL CLAIMS** 18 18x 9 162 (small entity) 38 INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 7 4x40 160 (small entity) MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT * NUMBER EXTRA MUST BE ZERO OR LARGER TOTAL If applicant has small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and **SMALL ENTITY** 677 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here. TOTAL A check in the amount of \$ __ ____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account as described below. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. No. Charge the amount of \$_ as filing fee. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Charge the issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b). June 29, 2001 Date Signature Prof. Roger D. Hersch Typed or printed name EPFL - DI/LSP - INF Ecublens Lausanne (Switzerland) CH-1015

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